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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY**

A.M. BEST COMPANY, INC.,

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Plaintiff,

Civil Action No. 11-1994 (SDW)(MCA)

v.

SNL FINANCIAL LC,

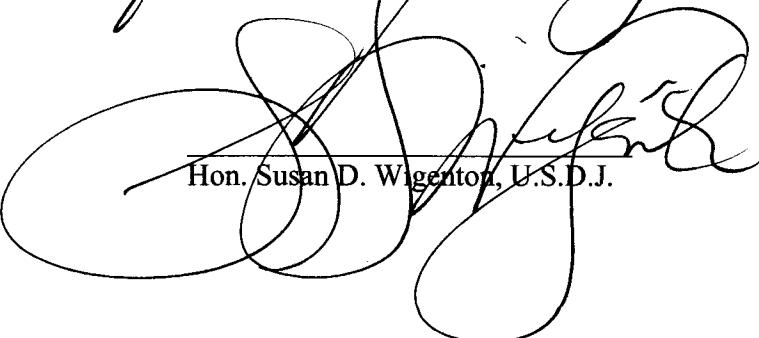
Defendant.

*Denying*  
**ORDER GRANTING DEFENDANT'S  
MOTION TO DISMISS AMENDED  
COMPLAINT**

**THIS MATTER** having been opened to the Court by Lowenstein Sandler PC, attorneys for Defendant SNL Financial LC ("SNL"), upon application for an Order granting SNL's Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's Amended Complaint and this Court having considered the motion, memorandum of law in support thereof, together with any opposition and reply papers thereto and this Court having heard the arguments of counsel, if any; and for good cause shown;

IT IS on this 8<sup>th</sup> day of Dec., 2011 hereby:

**ORDERED** that Defendant SNL's Motion to Dismiss Plaintiff's Amended Complaint is hereby *DENIED* *GRANTED* in its entirety *for the reasons set forth on the record.*

  
Hon. Susan D. Wigenton, U.S.D.J.